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Docket No. 9346

Application of

Joseph Lindacher

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For: **METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING A POSITION OF A  
ROTATING OPTICAL ELEMENT IN A BAR CODE SCANNER**

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Sir:

In response to the above-named Notice dated August 7, 2001, relative to the above-named application, Applicant hereby submits new formal drawings to complete the file in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

Subject to approval by the Examiner and upon allowable subject matter, enclosed herewith are the new formal drawings for Figures 1-3. Please substitute the enclosed formal drawings for the originally filed informal drawings for Figures 1-3 which were provided with the patent application when filed on June 11, 2001.

Please charge any fees associated with the filing of these application papers to Deposit Account No. 14-0225.

A copy of said Notice is included herewith.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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